

## Message Text

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INFO AMEMBASSY AMMAN

C O N F I D E N T I A L JIDDA 5740

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: MOPS, PEPR, SA. IS  
SUBJECT: VIOLATION OF SAUDI AIRSPACE

1. DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER FOR POLITICAL AFFAIRS  
ABD AL-RAHMAN MANSOURI TOLD POLITICAL COUNSELOR ON  
AUGUST 5 THAT TWO HOSTILE AIRCRAFT PURSUED SAUDI  
C-130 EN ROUTE FROM BEIRUT TO TABUK. HOSTILE AIRCRAFT VIOLATED  
JORDANIAN AIRSPACE AT KATRANA ABOUT 75 MILES FROM TABUK AND  
FOLLOWED SAUDI AIRCRAFT EIGHT MILES INTO SAUDI TERRITORY.

2. MANSOURI ASKED THAT WE RAISE MATTER WITH ISRAELIS  
AND TELL THEM TO BE NICE.  
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## Message Attributes

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